SECTION 1915(c) HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES WAIVER APPLICATION

1.	The State of <u>New Jersey</u> requests a Medicaid home and community-based services waiver under the authority of section 1915(c) of the Social Security Act. The administrative authority under which this waiver will be operated is contained in Appendix A.
	This is a request for a model waiver.
	a Yes bX No
	If Yes, the State assures that no more than 200 individuals will be served by this waiver at any one time.
	This waiver is requested for a period of (check one):
	a 3 years (initial waiver)
	b. X 5 years (renewal waiver)
2.	This waiver is requested in order to provide home and community-based services to individuals who, but for the provision of such services, would require the following levels (s) of care, the cost of which could be reimbursed under the approved Medicaid State plan:
	aX Nursing facility (NF)
	b Intermediate care facility for mentally retarded persons (ICF/MR)
	c Hospital
	d NF (served in hospital)
	e ICF/MR (served in hospital)
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3.		ection 1902(a)(10)(B) of the Act is requested to target waiver services to ect group(s) of individuals who would be otherwise eligible for waiver
	a aged (a	age 65 and older)
	b disable	ed
	cX_ aged a	nd/or disabled
	d mental	lly retarded
	e develo	pmentally disabled
	f mental	lly retarded and/or developmentally disabled
	g chroni	cally mentally ill
4.		ection 1902(a)(10)(B) of the Act is also requested to impose the following geting restrictions (specify):
	disabled. Indi	Waiver services are limited to the following age groups (specify): 21 nd older. Individuals over the age of 21 and under the age of 65 must be ividuals who are chronically mentally ill, mentally retarded or lly disabled are not eligible.
	b	Waiver services are limited to individuals with the following disease(s) or condition(s) (specify):
	c	Waiver services are limited to individuals who are mentally retarded or developmentally disabled, who currently reside in general NFs, but who have been shown, as a result of the Pre-Admission Screening and Annual Resident Review process mandated by P.L. 100-203 to require active treatment at the level of an ICF/MR.
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	d Other criteria. (Specify):
	e Not applicable.
5.	Except as specified in item 6 below, an individual must meet the Medicaid eligibility criteria set forth in Appendix C-1 in addition to meeting the targeting criteria in items 2 through 4 of this request.
5.	This waiver program includes individuals who are eligible under medically needy groups
	a Yes bX No
7.	A waiver of 1902(a)(10)(C)(i)(III) of the Social Security Act has been requested in order to use institutional income and resource rules for the medically needy.
	a Yes b No cX_ N/A
3.	The State will refuse to offer home and community-based services to any person for whom it can reasonably be expected that the cost of home or community-based services furnished to that individual would exceed the cost of a level of care referred to in item 2 of this request.
	aX_Yes bNo
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9.	A waiver of the "statewideness" requirements set forth in section 1902(a)(1) of the Act is requested.
	a Yes bX No
	If yes, waiver services will be furnished only to individuals in the following geographic areas or political subdivisions of the State (Specify):
10.	A waiver of the amount, duration and scope of services requirements contained in section 1902(a)(10)(B) of the Act is requested, in order that services not otherwise available under the approved Medicaid State plan may be provided to individuals served on the waiver.
11.	The State requests that the following home and community-based services, as described and defined in Appendix B.1 of this request, be included under this waiver:
	aX_ Case management
	b. X Homemaker
	c Home health aide services
	d Personal care services
	eX_ Respite care
	f Adult day health
	g Habilitation
	Residential habilitation
	Day habilitation
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Prevocational services		
Supported employment services	S	
Educational services		
h. X Environmental accessibility adaptations		
i Skilled nursing		
jX_ Transportation		
kX_ Specialized medical equipment and supplies		
1X_ Chore services		
mX_ Personal Emergency Response Systems		
n Companion services		
o Private duty nursing		
p Family training		
qX_ Attendant care		
rX Adult Residential Care		
X Adult foster care (Adult Family	Care)	
Assisted living		
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s Exte	ended State plan services (Check all that apply):
	Physician services
	Home health care services
	Physical therapy services
	Occupational therapy services
	Speech, hearing and language services
	Prescribed drugs
	Other (specify):
tX Oth	Community Transition Services Home-Based Supportive Care Home delivered meal service Caregiver/recipient training Social Adult Day Care Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing) Transitional Case Management
u The	following services will be provided to individuals with chronic mental illness:
	Day treatment/Partial hospitalization
	Psychosocial rehabilitation
	Clinic services (whether or not furnished in a facility)
As waiver services	, Homemaker, Respite Care, Chore Services, Attendant Care, Adult Family
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Care, and Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing) contain elements of personal care and related hands on care. Therefore individuals enrolled in this waiver are not entitled to receive the State Plan service of Personal Care (a.k.a. Personal Care Assistant (PCA) services.

- 12. The state assures that adequate standards exist for each provider of services under the waiver. The State further assures that all provider standards will be met.
- 13. An individual written plan of care will be developed by qualified individuals for each individual under this waiver. This plan of care will describe the medical and other services (regardless of funding source) to be furnished, their frequency, and the type of provider who will furnish each. All services will be furnished pursuant to a written plan of care. The plan of care will be subject to the approval of the Medicaid agency. FFP will not be claimed for waiver services furnished prior to the development of the plan of care. FFP will not be claimed for waiver services which are not included in the individual written plan of care.
- 14. Waiver services will not be furnished to individuals who are inpatients of a hospital, NF, or ICF/MR.
- 15. FFP will not be claimed in expenditures for the cost of room and board, with the following exception(s) (Check all that apply):
 - a. X When provided as part of respite care in a facility approved by the State that is not a private residence (hospital, NF, foster home, or community residential facility).
 - b. X Meals furnished as part of a program of adult day health services.
 - c.____ When a live-in personal caregiver (who is unrelated to the individual receiving care) provides approved waiver services, a portion of the rent and food that may be reasonably attributed to the caregiver who resides in the same household with the waiver recipient. FFP for rent and food for a live-in caregiver is not available if the recipient lives in the caregiver's home, or in a residence that is owned or leased by the provider of Medicaid services. An explanation of the method by

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which room and board costs are computed is included in Appendix G-3.

For purposes of this provision, "board" means 3 meals a day, or any other full nutritional regimen.

- 16. The Medicaid agency provides the following assurances to HCFA:
 - a. Necessary safeguards have been taken to protect the health and welfare of persons receiving services under this waiver. Those safeguards include:
 - 1. Adequate standards for all types of providers that furnish services under the waiver (see Appendix B);
 - 2. Assurance that the standards of any State licensure or certification requirements are met for services or for individuals furnishing services that are provided under the waiver (see Appendix B). The State assures that these requirements will be met on the date that the services are furnished; and
 - 3. Assurance that all facilities covered by section 1616(e) of the Social Security Act, in which home and community-based services will be provided, are in compliance with applicable State standards that meet the requirements of 45 CFR Part 1397 for board and care facilities.
 - b. The agency will provide for an evaluation (and periodic reevaluations, at least annually) of the need for a level of care indicated in item 2 of this request, when there is a reasonable indication that individuals might need such services in the near future (one month or less), but for the availability of home and community-based services. The requirements for such evaluations and reevaluations are detailed in Appendix D.
 - c. When an individual is determined to be likely to require a level of care indicated in item 2 of this request, and is included in the targeting criteria included in items 3 and 4 of this request, the individual or his or her legal representative will be:

Informed of any feasible alternatives under the waiver; and

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- 2. Given the choice of either institutional or home and community-based services.
- d. The agency will provide an opportunity for a fair hearing, under 42 CFR Part 431, subpart E, to persons who are not given the choice of home or community-based services as an alternative to institutional care indicated in item 2 of this request, or who are denied the service(s) of their choice, or the provider(s) of their choice.
- e. The average per capita expenditures under the waiver will not exceed 100 percent of the average per capita expenditures for the level(s) of care indicated in item 2 of this request under the State plan that would have been made in that fiscal year had the waiver not been granted.
- f. The agency's actual total expenditure for home and community-based and other Medicaid services under the waiver and its claim for FFP in expenditures for the services provided to individuals under the waiver will not, in any year of the waiver period, exceed 100 percent of the amount that would be incurred by the State's Medicaid program for these individuals in the institutional setting(s) indicated in item 2 of this request in the absence of the waiver.
- g. Absent the waiver, persons served in the waiver would receive the appropriate type of Medicaid-funded institutional care that they require, as indicated in item 2 of this request.
- h. The agency will provide HCFA annually with information on the impact of the waiver on the type, amount and cost of services provided under the State plan and on the health and welfare of the persons served on the waiver. The information will be consistent with a data collection plan designed by HCFA.
- i. The agency will assure financial accountability for funds expended for home and community-based services, provide for an independent audit of its waiver program (except as HCFA may otherwise specify for particular waivers), and it will maintain and make available to HHS, the Comptroller General, or other designees, appropriate financial records documenting the cost of services provided under the waiver, including reports of any independent audits conducted.

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	The State conducts a single audit in conformance with the Single Audit Act of 1984, P.L. 98-502.
	aX Yes b No
17.	The State will provide for an independent assessment of its waiver that evaluates the quality of care provided, access to care, and cost-neutrality. The results of the assessment will be submitted to HCFA at least 90 days prior to the expiration of the approved waiver period and cover the first 24 months (new waivers) or 48 months (renewal waivers) of the waiver.
	a Yes bX_ No
18.	The State assures that it will have in place a formal system by which it ensures the health and welfare of the individuals served on the waiver, through monitoring of the quality control procedures described in this waiver document (including Appendices). Monitoring will ensure that all provider standards and health and welfare assurances are continuously met, and that plans of care are periodically reviewed to ensure that the services furnished are consistent with the identified needs of the individuals. Through these procedures, the State will ensure the quality of services furnished under the waiver and the State plan to waiver persons served on the waiver. The State further assures that all problems identified by this monitoring will be addressed in an appropriate and timely manner, consistent with the severity and nature of the deficiencies.
19.	An effective date of <u>January 1, 2004</u> is requested.
20.	The State contact person for this request is <u>Barbara Fuller</u> , who can be reached by telephone at (609) 943-3463.
21.	This document, together with Appendices A through G, and all attachments, constitutes the State's request for a home and community-based services waiver under section 1915(c) of the Social Security Act. The State affirms that it will abide by all terms and
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conditions set forth in the waiver (including Appendices and attachments), and certifies that any modifications to the waiver request will be submitted in writing by the State Medicaid agency. Upon approval by HCFA, this waiver request will serve as the State's authority to provide home and community services to the target group under its Medicaid plan. Any proposed changes to the approved waiver will be formally requested by the State in the form of waiver amendments.

The State assures that all material referenced in this waiver application (including standards, licensure and certification requirements) will be kept on file at the Medicaid agency.

Signature:

Print Name: Matthew D'Oria
Title: Acting Director

Division of Medical Assistance and Health Services

Date:

Signature:

Print Name: Patricia A. Polansky
Title: Assistant Commissioner

Department of Health and Senior Services

Date:

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APPENDIX A - ADMINISTRATION

LINE OF AUTHORITY FOR WAIVER OPERATION

CHECK	ONE:
	The waiver will be operated directly by the Medical Assistance Unit of the Medicaid agency.
X	The waiver will be operated by the Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS), a separate agency of the State. In accordance with the Executive Reorganization Plan No. 001-1996, DHSS exercises administrative discretion in the administration and supervision of the waiver and issues policies, rules and regulations related to the waiver. A copy of the interagency agreement setting forth the authority and arrangements for this policy is on file at the Medicaid agency.
	The waiver will be operated by, a separate division within the Single State agency. The Medicaid agency exercises administrative discretion in the administration and supervision of the waiver and issues policies, rules and regulations related to the waiver. A copy of the interagency agreement setting forth the authority and arrangements for this policy is on file at the Medicaid agency.
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APPENDIX B - SERVICES AND PROVIDER STANDARDS

APPENDIX B-1: DEFINITION OF SERVICES

The State requests that the following home and community-based services, as described and defined herein, be included under this waiver. Provider qualifications/standards for each service are set forth in Appendix B-2.

aX_ Case Manag	ement
X	Services which will assist individuals who receive waiver services in gaining access to needed waiver and other State plan services, as well as needed medical, social, educational and other services, regardless of the funding source for the services to which access is gained.
	Case managers shall be responsible for ongoing monitoring of the provision of services included in the individual's plan of care.
	1X_Yes 2No
	Case managers shall initiate and oversee the process of assessment and reassessment of the individual's level of care and the review of plans of care at such intervals as are specified in Appendices C & D of this request
	1X_Yes 2No
X	Other Service Definition (Specify): Two options for Case Management are available. One option will have Regional Staff Nurses or Medical Social Care Specialists from the Long Term Care Field Office serve as case managers. In this option, Case Management will not be claimed as a service since these staff are federally matched.
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In the other option, Case Management will be provided by a separate entity. In this option, Case Management will be reimbursed as a waiver service to the provider.

h	X	Homemaker:
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Services consisting of general household activities (meal preparation and routine household care) provided by a trained homemaker, when the individual regularly responsible for these activities is temporarily absent or unable to manage the home and care for him or herself or others in the home. Homemakers shall meet such standards of education and training as are established by the State for the provision of these activities.

X Other Service Definition (Specify):

Assistance with eating, bathing, dressing, personal hygiene, activities of daily living. This service may include assistance with preparation of meals, but does not include the cost of the meals themselves. When specified in the plan of care, this service may also include such housekeeping chores as bedmaking, dusting and vacuuming, which are incidental to the care furnished, or which are essential to the health and welfare of the individual, rather than the individual's family. Homemaker care providers must meet State standards for this service. Homemaker services will not be reimbursed for individuals who reside in an Adult Family Care Home or participate in the Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing).

Homemaker providers may be members of the individual's family. Payment will not be made for services furnished to a minor by the child's parent (or step-parent), or to an individual by that person's spouse.

Family members who provide homemaker services must meet the same standards as providers who are unrelated to the individual.

Supervision of homemaker providers will be furnished by either, a registered nurse, licensed to practice nursing in the State or a licensed practical or vocational nurse, under the supervision of a registered nurse, as provided under State law.

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services Adult Family Care and Assisted Living Program (in subsidized housing) as the provider of those services is required to offer assistance in the areas described above. c.____ Home Health Aide services: Services defined in 42 CFR 440.70, with the exception that limitations on the amount, duration and scope of such services imposed by the State's approved Medicaid plan shall not be applicable. The amount, duration and scope of these services shall instead be in accordance with the estimates given in Appendix G of this waiver request. Services provided under the waiver shall be in addition to any available under the approved State plan. Other Service Definition (Specify): d. Personal care services: Assistance with eating, bathing, dressing, personal hygiene, activities of daily living. This service may include assistance with preparation of meals, but does not include the cost of the meals themselves. When specified in the plan of care, this service may also include such housekeeping chores as bedmaking, dusting and vacuuming, which are incidental to the care furnished, or which are essential to the health and welfare of the individual, rather than the individual's family. Personal care providers must meet State standards for this service. 1. Services provided by family members (Check one): Payment will not be made for personal care services furnished by a member of the individual's family.

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Homemaker services are not provided under the approved State plan.

Homemaker services are not available to individuals who receive the

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	Personal care providers may be members of the individual's family. Payment will not be made for services furnished to a minor by the child's parent (or step-parent), or to an individual by that person's spouse.
	Justification attached. (Check one):
	Family members who provide personal care services must meet the same standards as providers who are unrelated to the individual.
	Standards for family members providing personal care services differ from those for other providers of this service. The different standards are indicated in Appendix B-2.
2.	Supervision of personal care providers will be furnished by (Check all that apply):
	A registered nurse, licensed to practice nursing in the State.
	A licensed practical or vocational nurse, under the supervision of a registered nurse, as provided under State law.
	Case managers
	Other (Specify):
3.	Frequency or intensity of supervision (Check one):
	As indicated in the plan of care
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		Other (Specify):
4.	Relatio	onship to State plan services (Check one):
		Personal care services are not provided under the approved State plan.
		Personal care services are included in the State plan, but with limitations. The waivered service will serve as an extension of the State plan service, in accordance with documentation provided in Appendix G of this waiver request.
		Personal care services under the State plan differ in service definition or provider type from the services to be offered under the waiver.
Other s	service	definition (Specify):
eX_ Respite care:		
X	on a sh	es provided to individuals unable to care for themselves; furnished nort-term basis because of the absence or need for relief of those s normally providing the care.
	Other s	service definition (Specify):
		FFP will not be claimed for the cost of room and board except when provided as part of respite care furnished in a facility approved by the State that is not a private residence.
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			the care will be provided in the following location(s) (Check t apply):
		<u>X</u>	Individual's home or place of residence
		X	Foster home (approved Adult Family Care home)
			Medicaid certified Hospital
		X	Medicaid certified NF
			Medicaid certified ICF/MR
			Group home
			Licensed respite care facility
		X	Other community care residential facility approved by the State that is not a private residence (Specify type): Assisted Living Residence and Comprehensive Personal Care Home
		Other service	definition (Specify):
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f Adult day he	ealth:
	Services furnished 4 or more hours per day on a regularly scheduled basis, for one or more days per week, in an outpatient setting, encompassing both health and social services needed to ensure the optimal functioning of the individual. Meals provided as part of these services shall not constitute a "full nutritional regimen" (3 meals per day). Physical, occupational and speech therapies indicated in the individual's plan of care will be furnished as component parts of this service.
	Transportation between the individual's place of residence and the adult day health center will be provided as a component part of adult day health services. The cost of this transportation is included in the rate paid to providers of adult day health services. (Check one):
	1Yes 2No
	Other service definition (Specify):
	Qualifications of the providers of adult day health services are contained in Appendix B-2.
g Habilitation	Services designed to assist individuals in acquiring, retaining and improving the self-help, socialization and adaptive skills necessary to reside successfully in home and community-based settings. This service includes:
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 Residential habilitation: assistance with acquisition,
retention, or improvement in skills related to activities of
daily living, such as personal grooming and cleanliness,
bed making and household chores, eating and the
preparation of food, and the social and adaptive skills
necessary to enable the individual to reside in a non-
institutional setting. Payments for residential habilitation
are not made for room and board, the cost of facility
maintenance, upkeep and improvement, other than such
costs for modifications or adaptations to a facility required
to assure the health and safety of residents, or to meet the
requirements of the applicable life safety code. Payment
for residential habilitation does not include payments made,
directly or indirectly, to members of the individual's
immediate family. Payments will not be made for the
routine care and supervision which would be expected to be
provided by a family or group home provider, or for
activities or supervision for which a payment is made by a
source other than Medicaid. Documentation which shows
that Medicaid payment does not cover these components is
attached to Appendix G.

Day habilitation: assistance with acquisition, retention, or improvement in self-help, socialization and adaptive skills which takes place in a non-residential setting, separate from the home or facility in which the individual resides. Services shall normally be furnished 4 or more hours per day on a regularly scheduled basis, for 1 or more days per week unless provided as an adjunct to other day activities included in an individual's plan of care.

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Day habilitation services shall focus on enabling the individual to attain or maintain his or her maximum functional level and shall be coordinated with any physical, occupational, or speech therapies listed in the plan of care. In addition, day habilitation services may serve to reinforce skills or lessons taught in school, therapy, or other settings.
Prevocational services not available under a program funded under section 110 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 or section 602(16) and (17) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1401(16 and 17)). Services are aimed at preparing an individual for paid or unpaid employment, but are not job-task oriented. Services include teaching such concepts as compliance, attendance, task completion, problem solving and safety. Prevocational services are provided to persons not expected to be able to join the general work force or participate in a transitional sheltered workshop within one year (excluding supported employment programs). Prevocational services are available only to individuals who have previously been discharged from a SNF, ICF, NF or ICF/MR.
Check one:
Individuals will not be compensated for prevocational services.
When compensated, individuals are paid at less than 50 percent of the minimum wage.

Activities included in this service are not primarily directed at teaching specific job skills, but at underlying habilitative goals, such as attention span and motor skills. All prevocational services will be reflected in the individual's plan of care as directed to habilitative, rather than explicit employment objectives.

Documentation will be maintained in the file of each individual receiving this service that:

- 1. The service is not otherwise available under a program funded under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or P.L. 94-142; and
- 2. The individual has been deinstitutionalized from a SNF, ICF, NF, or ICF/MR at some prior period.
- Educational services, which consist of special education and related services as defined in section s (15) and (17) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, to the extent to which they are not available under a program funded by IDEA. Documentation will be maintained in the file of each individual receiving this service that:
 - 1. The service is not otherwise available under a program funded under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or P.L. 94-142; and
 - 2. The individual has been deinstitutionalized from a SNF, ICF, NF, or ICF/MR at some prior period.

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Supported employment services, which consist of paid employment for persons for whom competitive employment at or above the minimum wage is unlikely, and who, because of their disabilities, need intensive ongoing support to perform in a work setting. Supported employment is conducted in a variety of settings. particularly work sites in which persons without disabilities are employed. Supported employment includes activities needed to sustain paid work by individuals receiving waiver services, including supervision and training. When supported employment services are provided at a work site in which persons without disabilities are employed, payment will be made only for the adaptations, supervision and training required by individuals receiving waiver services as a result of their disabilities, and will not include payment for the supervisory activities rendered as a normal part of the business setting.

Supported employment services furnished under the waiver are not available under a program funded by either the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 or P.L. 94-142. Documentation will be maintained in the file of each individual receiving this service that:

- 1. The service is not otherwise available under a program funded under the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, or P.L. 94-142; and
- 2. The individual has been deinstitutionalized from a SNF, ICF, NF, or ICF/MR at some prior period.

FFP will not be claimed for incentive payments, subsidies, or unrelated vocational training expenses such as the following:

1.	Incentive payments made to an employer to
	encourage or subsidize the employer's
	participation in a supported employment
	program;

- 2. Payments that are passed through to users of supported employment programs; or
- 3. Payments for vocational training that is not directly related to an individual's supported employment program.

Transportation will be provided between the individual's place of residence and the site of the habilitation services, or between habilitation sites (in cases where the individual receives habilitation services in more than one place) as a component part of habilitation services. The cost of this transportation is included in the rate paid to providers of the appropriate type of habilitation services.

1Yes	2No	
 Other service definition	n (Specify):	

The State requests the authority to provide the following additional services, not specified in the statute. The State assures that each service is cost-effective and necessary to prevent institutionalization. The cost neutrality of each service is demonstrated in Appendix G. Qualifications of providers are found in Appendix B-2.

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hX_	Environment	al accessibility adaptations:
	X	Those physical adaptations to the home, required by the individual's plan of care, which are necessary to ensure the health, welfare and safety of the individual, or which enable the individual to function with greater independence in the home, and without which, the individual would require institutionalization. Such adaptations may include the installation of ramps and grab-bars, widening of doorways, modification of bathroom facilities, or installation of specialized electric and plumbing systems which are necessary to accommodate the medical equipment and supplies which are necessary for the welfare of the individual. Excluded are those adaptations or improvements to the home which are of general utility, and are not of direct medical or remedial benefit to the individual, such as carpeting, roof repair, central air conditioning, etc. Adaptations which add to the total square footage of the home are excluded from this benefit. All services shall be provided in accordance with applicable State or local building codes. Environmental Accessibility Adaptations will not be reimbursed for
		individuals who receive Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing).
		Other service definition (Specify):
i	Skilled nursi	ng:
		Services listed in the plan of care which are within the scope of the State's Nurse Practice Act and are provided by a registered professional nurse, or licensed practical or vocational nurse under the supervision of a registered nurse, licensed to practice in the State.
		Other service definition (Specify):
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jX_ Transportation	on:
X	Service offered in order to enable individuals served on the waiver to gain access to waiver and other community services, activities and resources, specified by the plan of care. This service is offered in addition to medical transportation required under 42 CFR 431.53 and transportation services under the State plan, defined at 42 CFR 440.170(a) (if applicable), and shall not replace them. Transportation services under the waiver shall be offered in accordance with the individual's plan of care. Whenever possible, family, neighbors, friends, or community agencies which can provide this service without charge will be utilized.
	Other service definition (Specify):
kX_ Specialized N	Medical Equipment and Supplies:
X	Specialized medical equipment and supplies to include devices, controls, or appliances, specified in the plan of care, which enable individuals to increase their abilities to perform activities of daily living, or to perceive, control, or communicate with the environment in which they live.
	This service also includes items necessary for life support, ancillary supplies and equipment necessary to the proper functioning of such items, and durable and non-durable medical equipment not available under the Medicaid State plan. Items reimbursed with waiver funds shall be in addition to any medical equipment and supplies furnished under the State plan and shall exclude those items which are not of direct medical or remedial benefit to the individual. All items shall meet applicable standards of manufacture, design and installation.
_	Other service definition (Specify):
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X	Services needed to maintain the home in a clean, sanitary and safe environment. This service includes heavy household chores such as washing floors, windows and walls, tacking down loose rugs and tiles, moving heavy items of furniture in order to provide safe access and egress. These services will be provided only in cases where neither the individual, nor anyone else in the household, is capable of performing or financially providing for them, and where no other relative, caregiver, landlord, community/volunteer agency, or third party payor is capable of or responsible for their provision. In the case of rental property, the responsibility of the landlord, pursuant to the lease agreement, will be examined prior to any authorization of service.
	Chore services will not be reimbursed for individuals who receive Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing) or Adult Family Care services.
	Other service definition (Specify):
mX_ Personal Eme	rgency Response Systems (PERS)
X	PERS is an electronic device which enables certain individuals at high risk of institutionalization to secure help in an emergency. The individual may also wear a portable "help" button to allow for mobility. The system is connected to the person's phone and programmed to signal a response center once a "help" button is activated. The response center is staffed by trained professionals, as specified in Appendix B-2. PERS services are limited to those individuals who live alone, or who are alone for significant parts of the day, and have no regular caregiver for extended periods of time, and who would otherwise require extensive routine supervision.
	Other service definition (Specify):
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1._X_ Chore services:

n Adult compar	nion services:
	Non-medical care, supervision and socialization, provided to a functionally impaired adult. Companions may assist or supervise the individual with such tasks as meal preparation, laundry and shopping, but do not perform these activities as discrete services. The provision of companion services does not entail hands-on nursing care. Providers may also perform light housekeeping tasks which are incidental to the care and supervision of the individual. This service is provided in accordance with a therapeutic goal in the plan of care, and is not purely diversional in nature.
	Other service definition (Specify):
o Private duty n	nursing:
	Individual and continuous care (in contrast to part time or intermittent care) provided by licensed nurses within the scope of State law. These services are provided to an individual at home.
_	Other service definition (Specify):
p Family training	ng:
	Training and counseling services for the families of individuals served on this waiver. For purposes of this service, "family" is defined as the persons who live with or provide care to a person served on the waiver, and may include a parent, spouse, children, relatives, foster family, or inlaws. "Family" does not include individuals who are employed to care for the consumer. Training includes instruction about treatment regimens and use of equipment specified in the plan of care, and shall include updates as
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			-	ed in the individual's written plan of care.
		Other s	service d	definition (Specify):
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		receive		e services will not be reimbursed for individuals who Family Care or Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized ce.
		Superv	ision (C	Check all that apply):
			practice	ision will be provided by a Registered Nurse, licensed to e in the State. The frequency and intensity of supervision specified in the individual's written plan of care.
		-		Supervision may be furnished directly by the individual, when the person has been trained to perform this function, and when the safety and efficacy of consumer-provided supervision has been certified in writing by a registered nurse or otherwise as provided in State law. This certification must be based on direct observation of the consumer and the specific attendant care provider, during the actual provision of care. Documentation of this certification will be maintained in the consumer's individual plan of care.
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		Other supervisory arrangements (Specify):
_	Other	service definition (Specify):
r. <u>X</u> A	Adult Resider	ntial Care (Check all that apply):
	X	Adult foster care (Adult Family Care): Personal care and services, homemaker, chore, attendant care and companion services medication oversight (to the extent permitted under State law) provided in a licensed (where applicable) private home by a principal care provider who lives in the home. Adult foster care is furnished to adults who receive these services in conjunction with residing in the home. The total number of individuals (including persons served in the waiver) living in the home, who are unrelated to the principal care provider, cannot exceed. 5.). Separate payment will not be made for homemaker or chore services furnished to an individual receiving adult foster care services, since these services are integral to and inherent in the provision of adult foster care services.
		Assisted living: Personal care and services, homemaker, chore, attendant care, companion services, medication oversight (to the extent permitted under State law), therapeutic social and recreational programming, provided in a home-like environment in a licensed (where applicable) community care facility, in conjunction with residing in the facility. This service includes 24 hour on-site response staff to meet scheduled or unpredictable needs in a way that promotes maximum dignity and independence, and to provide supervision, safety and security. Other individuals or agencies may also furnish care directly, or under arrangement with the community care facility, but the care provided by these other entities supplements that provided by the community care facility and does not supplant it.
		Personalized care is furnished to individuals who reside in their own living units (which may include dually occupied units when both
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occupants consent to the arrangement) which may or may not include kitchenette and/or living rooms and which contain bedrooms and toilet facilities. The consumer has a right to privacy. Living units may be locked at the discretion of the consumer, except when a physician or mental health professional has certified in writing that the consumer is sufficiently cognitively impaired as to be a danger to self or others if given the opportunity to lock the door. (This requirement does not apply where it conflicts with fire code.) Each living unit is separate and distinct from each other. The facility must have a central dining room, living room or parlor, and common activity center(s) (which may also serve as living rooms or dining rooms). The consumer retains the right to assume risk, tempered only by the individual's ability to assume responsibility for that risk. Care must be furnished in a way which fosters the independence of each consumer to facilitate aging in place. Routines of care provision and service delivery must be consumer-driven to the maximum extent possible, and treat each person with dignity and respect.

Assisted living services may also include (Check all that apply):

_	Home health care
	Physical therapy
	Occupational therapy
	Speech therapy
<u> </u>	Medication administration
<u> </u>	Intermittent skilled nursing services
	Transportation specified in the plan of care
	Periodic nursing evaluations
	Other (Specify)
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However, nursing and skilled therapy services (except periodic nursing
evaluations if specified above) are incidental, rather than integral to the
provision of assisted living services. Payment will not be made for 24-
hour skilled care or supervision. FFP is not available in the cost of room
and board furnished in conjunction with residing in an assisted living
facility.

___ Other service definition (Specify):

Payments for adult residential care services are not made for room and board, items of comfort or convenience, or the costs of facility maintenance, upkeep and improvement. Payment for adult residential care services does not include payments made, directly or indirectly, to members of the consumer's immediate family. The methodology by which payments are calculated and made is described in Appendix G.

s. X Other waiver services which are cost-effective and necessary to prevent institutionalization (Specify):

Community Transition Services:

Security deposits for leases. Essential furnishings, household supplies and incidentals as well as moving expenses required to establish, occupy and use a basic living arrangement in the community. Security deposits and/or set up fees required for utility and/or telephone service. Environmental accessibility modifications and/or one time services prior to occupancy that are necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of the beneficiary.

Home-Based Supportive Care

Services designed to reduce or prevent inappropriate institutionalization by maintaining, strengthening, or restoring an individual's functioning. Needs must be identified through the comprehensive assessment or reassessment, and must be specified in the approved Plan of Care as a required service. Services are provided in the individual's home.

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All services include the provision of non-medical transportation necessary for the implementation of the care plan.

Home-Based Supportive Care includes assistance with Activities of Daily Living (ADL): bathing/personal hygiene; dressing; toileting; transferring; continence; eating/nutrition; mobility.

Home-Based Supportive Care also includes assistance with Instrumental Activities of Daily Living (IADL): preparing meals; shopping; managing money; housework, laundry, taking medicine; transportation; mobility outside the home.

Beneficiaries may elect to engage in consumer-directed services, acting as the employer of their care providers. These beneficiaries must be willing and able to direct their care and perform essential employer functions, such as interviewing, checking references, hiring, supervising, and firing. The ability to direct one's care shall be confirmed prior to enrollment in consumer-directed services. An individual's ability may be reassessed at any time, as determined by the Case Manager, in response to objective evidence indicating changes in capability. An individual may opt to use an authorized representative approved by the Department to act in the individual's behalf.

The Client-Employed Provider (CEP) must have demonstrated the experience, training, education or skills necessary to meet the client's needs, consistent with the program standards. Additional provider requirements unique to the needs of a particular individual are identified in the Plan of Care. The Case Manager verifies that the Client-Employed Provider meets the qualifications identified for the particular service, per Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2. A criminal background check will be required on all Client-Employed Providers.

The client supervises and directs the employee in the provision of services as specified in the recipient's Plan of Care. The Plan of Care is formulated by the Case Manager, beneficiary, and other pertinent individuals and is based on careful assessment of needs, current supports, and abilities. The client and his/her family are always participants in the planning process. The Plan of Care drives service linkage and monitoring.

The Case Manager formally monitors implementation of the Plan of Care, which

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identifies minimum monitoring frequency, methodology to verify service provision and service outcomes. The case manager is also available to the beneficiary to provide support in Client-Employed-Provider service delivery as needed to ensure the health, safety, welfare and rights of the individuals receiving services.

A service agreement will be available for each Client-Employed Provider delineating the specific care, as identified in the Plan of Care, to be provided in terms of type, amount, duration, and frequency of service. Case managers complete an Individual Service Agreement which is to be matched, by the vendor providing fiscal services for payroll and withholding, against timesheets/invoices to ensure that the approved hours of consumer directed services are not exceeded.

A contracted vendor will act as agent for the client/employer in performing fiscal responsibilities associated with processing payroll and withholding obligations. This is an administrative function and not a separate service.

Home-Based Supportive Care may also be provided by a contract Agency employee, who is specifically authorized as able to perform the requisite services by the employing contract Agency.

A Registered Nurse may be used, not for supervision, but as a consultant when needed for instruction, training, and/or on-going assessment of clients.

Home-Based Supportive Care services will not be reimbursed for individuals who reside in Adult Family Care or Assisted Living Programs (in Subsidized Housing).

Home delivered meal service

Nutritionally balanced meals delivered to the beneficiary's home when this meal provision is more cost effective than having a personal care provider prepare the meal. These meals shall not replace nor be a substitute for a full day's nutritional regimen but each meal shall provide at least 1/3 of the current Recommended Dietary Allowance established by the Food & Nutrition Board of the National Academy of Sciences, National Research Council. A unit of service equals one

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meal. No more than one meal per day will be reimbursed under the waiver. Home delivered meals are provided to an individual at home, and included in the approved Plan of Care only when the beneficiary is unable to leave the home independently, unable to prepare the meal, and there is no other person, paid or unpaid, to prepare the meal.

When the client's needs cannot be met by Title III provider due to: geographic inaccessibility, special dietary needs, the time of day or week the meal is needed, or existing Title III provider waiting lists precluding service delivery, a meal may be provided by restaurants, cafeterias, or caterers who comply with the NJ State Department of Health and Senior Services and local Board of Health regulations for food service establishments. The need for this service must be specified in the individual's Plan of Care, and the unavailability of other resources to satisfy this need must be documented in the case record. Home-delivered Meal services will not be reimbursed for individuals who reside in Adult Family Care or receive Assisted Living Program (in subsidized housing) program service.

Caregiver / Recipient Training

Instruction provided to a waiver client or caregiver in either a one-to-one or group situation to teach a variety of skills necessary to provide required assistance in Activities of Daily Living and Instrumental Activities of Daily Living, including: use of specialized or adaptive equipment; completion of medically related procedures required to maintain the client in a home or community setting; activities of daily living; adjustment to mobility impairment; management of personal care needs; skills to deal with care providers and attendants.

Training needs must be identified through the comprehensive assessment, reassessment, or in a professional evaluation, and must be identified in the approved Plan of Care as a required service.

Caregiver/Recipient Training services will not be reimbursed for individuals who reside in Adult Family Care or Assisted Living Programs (in Subsidized Housing).

Social Adult Day Care

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Social Adult day care is a community-based group program designed to meet the needs of adults with functional impairments through an individual plan of care. It is a structured, comprehensive program that provides a variety of health, social, and related support services in a protective setting during any part of a day but less than 24-hour care.

Individuals who participate in social adult day care attend on a planned basis during specified hours. Social adult day care assists its participants to remain in the community, enabling families and other caregivers to continue caring at home for a family member with impairment.

Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing)

The coordinated array of supportive personal care and services, homemaker, chore, attendant care, companion services, and medication oversight and administration available throughout the day to tenants of a subsidized housing setting. Unlike the Assisted Living Residence or Comprehensive Personal Care Home, venues, the building in which services are provided is not licensed as Assisted Living. Rather, the provider of the service is required to be licensed.

Personalized care is provided to individuals who reside in their own independent apartments. The individual is responsible for his/her own rent and utility payments as defined in a lease with the landlord. Individuals are also responsible for the cost of meals and other household expenses.

As with other assisted living venues, the consumer retains the right to assume risk, tempered only by the individual's ability to assume responsibility for that risk. Care must be furnished in a way which fosters the independence of each consumer to facilitate aging in place. Routines of care provision and service delivery must be consumer-driven to the maximum extent possible, and treat each person with dignity and respect.

Transitional Case Management

Services which will assist	individuals who	are in a nursing h	nome or other
institution to gain access to	and to enroll in	waiver services.	These Transitional

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Case management services foster the transition from an institution to a community-based living arrangement.

As with other forms of case management, there are two options available. One option will have Regional Staff Nurses or Medical Social Care Specialists from the Long Term Care Field Office serve as case managers. In this option, Case Management will not be claimed as a service since these staff are federally matched.

In the other option, Case Management will be provided by a separate entity. In this option, Case Management will be reimbursed as a waiver service to the provider.

t.____ Extended State plan services:

The following services, available through the approved State plan, will be provided, except that the limitations on amount, duration and scope specified in the plan will not apply. Services will be as defined and described in the approved State plan. The provider qualifications listed in the plan will apply, and are hereby incorporated into this waiver request by reference. These services will be provided under the State plan until the plan limitations have been reached. Documentation of the extent of services and cost-effectiveness are demonstrated in Appendix G. (Check all that apply):

	Physician services
_	Home health care services
	Physical therapy services
	Occupational therapy services
	Speech, hearing and language services
	Prescribed drugs
	Other State plan services (Specify):
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u Services for individuals with	chronic	e mental illness, consisting of (Check one):
Day treatment	t or othe	er partial hospitalization services (Check one):
	the ind	es that are necessary for the diagnosis or treatment of lividual's mental illness. These services consist of lowing elements:
	a.	individual and group therapy with physicians or psychologists (or other mental health professionals to the extent authorized under State law),
	b.	occupational therapy, requiring the skills of a qualified occupational therapist,
	c.	services of social workers, trained psychiatric nurses, and other staff trained to work with individuals with psychiatric illness,
	d.	drugs and biologicals furnished for therapeutic purposes,
	e.	individual activity therapies that are not primarily recreational or diversionary,
	f.	family counseling (the primary purpose of which is treatment of the individual's condition),
	g.	training and education of the individual (to the extent that training and educational activities are closely and clearly related to the individual's care and treatment), and
	h.	diagnostic services.
		and transportation are excluded from reimbursement this service. The purpose of this service is to
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	maintain the individual's condition and functional level and to prevent relapse or hospitalization.
	Other service definition (Specify):
Psychosocial	rehabilitation services (Check one):
	Medical or remedial services recommended by a physician or other licensed practitioner under State law, for the maximum reduction of physical or mental disability and the restoration of maximum functional level. Specific services include the following:
	a. restoration and maintenance of daily living skills (grooming, personal hygiene, cooking, nutrition, health and mental health education, medication management, money management and maintenance of the living environment);
	b. social skills training in appropriate use of community services;
	c. development of appropriate personal support networks, therapeutic recreational services (which are focused on therapeutic intervention, rather than diversion); and
	d. telephone monitoring and counseling services.
	The following are specifically excluded from Medicaid payment for psychosocial rehabilitation services:
	a. vocational services,
	b. prevocational services,
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			c.	supported employment services, and
			d.	room and board.
			Othe	er service definition (Specify):
			ces (who	ether or not furnished in a facility) are services defined 40.90.
		Che	ck one:	
			This	service is furnished only on the premises of a clinic.
				s waiver may be furnished outside the clinic facility. collowing locations (Specify):
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APPENDIX B-2

PROVIDER QUALIFICATIONS

A. LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION CHART

The following chart indicates the requirements for the provision of each service under the waiver. Licensure, Regulation, State Administrative Code are referenced by citation. Standards not addressed under uniform State citation are attached.

Service	Provider	License	Certification	Other Standard
Case	Area Agency on	RN or Social		Agency designated
Management	Aging	Worker Licensed to		pursuant to 45CFR
		Practice in NJ		132.1 and Medicaid
				approved. Case
				Manager must meet the
				criteria in Addendum
				1 to Appendix B-2 if
				not a licensed RN or
				Social Worker
	County Welfare	RN or Social		Case Manager must
	Agency	Worker Licensed to		meet the criteria in
		Practice in NJ		Addendum 1 to
				Appendix B-2 if
				not a licensed RN or
				Social Worker.
				Medicaid approved
	Proprietary or	RN or Social		Agrees not to self-
	Not-for-Profit	Worker licensed to		refer waiver
	Case Manage-	practice in NJ		participants.
	ment Entity			Medicaid approved.
	Licensed AFC	DHSS NJAC		Medicaid approved
	Sponsor Agency	8:43B		
Homemaker	Licensed Medicare	DHSS NJAC 8:42		
	Certified Home			Medicaid approved
	Health Agency			
			NJ Commission on	
	Accredited		Accreditation of Home	Medicaid approved
	Homemaker		Care, Inc.; or National	
	Agency		Home Caring Council; or	
			Community Health	
			Accreditation Program	

Service	Provider	License	Certification	Other Standard
Respite Care	Licensed Nursing Facility	DHSS NJAC 8:39		Medicaid approved
	AFC caregiver			Approved in accordance with NJAC 8:43B by a Licensed AFC sponsor Agency. Medicaid approved
	ALR or CPCH	DHSS NJAC 8:43		Medicaid approved
(In-home)	Client Employed Provider			See Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2
(III nome)	Employment Agency or Health Care Service Firm	NJAC 13:45B		Individual meets competence requirements of Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2
	Licensed Medicare Certified Home Health Agency	DHSS NJAC 8:42		Medicaid approved
	Accredited Homemaker Agency		NJ Commission on Accreditation of Home Care, Inc.; or National Home Caring Council; or Community Health Accreditation Program	Medicaid approved
Environmental Accessibility Modifications	Various trade persons	State licensed contractor		NJAC 5:23-2
Transportation	Approved AFC caregiver or substitute caregiver			Approved through NJAC 8:43B-6.1 to -6.3. Licensed to operate a motor vehicle registered and insured in NJ.
	Individual CEP			Licensed to operate a motor vehicle registered and insured in NJ.
	Various Vendors			Authorized to do business in NJ. Vehicle appropri- ately registered inspected and insured. Driver licensed to operate the vehicle.

Service	Provider	License	Certification	Other Standard
Specialized Medical	Medical Supplier			NJAC 10:59 Medicaid approved
Equipment And Supplies	Various Vendors			Authorized to sell, deliver and install required devices or supplies.
Chore Services	Individual CEP			See Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2
	Private Contractor			See Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2
	Congregate Housing Services Program			PL 1981 chapter 553 See Addendum 3 to Appendix B-2
	Subsidized Independent Housing for Seniors			NJSA 52:27D-184 qualified Housing Agency
Personal Emergency Response Systems	Electronic communication equipment vendor and monitoring agency			Authorized to install implement and monitor the device
Attendant Care	Individual CEP			See Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2
	Licensed Medicare Certified Home Health Agency	DHSS NJAC 8:42		Meets standards under DHSS agreement for Services (Attachment 1)
	Accredited Homemaker Agency		NJ Commission on Accreditation of Home Care, Inc.; or National Home Caring Council; or Community Health Accreditation Program	Meets standards under DHSS agreement for Services (Attachment 1)
	Registered Professional Nurse	RN licensed to practice in New Jersey	-	Meets standards under DHSS agreement for Services (Attachment 1)
Adult Foster Care (Adult Family Care)	Licensed Adult Family Care Sponsor Agency	DHSS NJAC 8:43B		Medicaid approved
Community Transition Services	Entity authorized to provide case management			Medicaid approved

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Home-Based Supportive Care Employment Agency or Health Care Service Firm Congregate Housing Services Program (CHSP) Subsidized Independent Housing for Seniors. Subsidized Independent Housing for Services Firm Subsidized Independent Housing for Seniors. Subsidized Independent Housing for Seniors. Temporary Help Service Firm NJ.A.C. 13:45B Temporary Help Service Firm NJ.A.C. 13:45B N.J.S.A. 56:8-1.1: Home-delivered Meal Service Restaurant or Meal Service Individual meets Competence requirements esta in Addendum 2 Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements a competence requirements esta in Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2 NJ.S.A. 56:8-1.1: See Addendum 2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2 NJ.S.A. 56:8-1.1: See Addendum 2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appendix B-2 Individual meets competence requirements esta in Addendum 3 2 to Appen	
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Service	Provider	License	Certification	Other Standard
Social Adult Day	Adult Day Care			Medicaid Approved
Care				See Addendum 4 to
				Appendix B-2
Assisted Living	Assisted Living	DHSS NJAC 8:36		
Program (in Sub-	Program			Medicaid approved
sidized Housing)				
Transitional Case	An entity approved			
Management	provide case			Medicaid approved
	management			

B. ASSURANCE THAT REQUIREMENTS ARE MET

The State assures that the standards of any State licensure or certification requirements are met for services or for individuals furnishing services provided under the waiver.

C. PROVIDER REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH SERVICE

For each service for which standards other than, or in addition to State licensure or certification must be met by providers, the applicable educational, professional, or other standards for service provision or for service providers are attached to this Appendix, tabbed and labeled with the name of the service(s) to which they apply.

When the qualifications of providers are set forth in State or Federal law or regulation, it is not necessary to provide copies of the applicable documents. However, the documents must be on file with the State Medicaid agency, and the licensure and certification chart at the head of this Appendix must contain the precise citation indicating where the standards may be found.

D FREEDOM OF CHOICE

The State assures that each individual found eligible for the waiver will be given free choice of all qualified providers of each service included in his or her written plan of care.

Addendum 1 to Appendix B-2

Case Manager Standards

Requirements

Education:

Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Bachelor's degree.

NOTE: Applicants who do not possess the required education may substitute additional experience as indicated below on a year-for-year basis with thirty (30) semester hour credits being equal to one (1) year of experience.

Experience:

One year of experience in the development of services and or programs designed to solve the socioeconomic needs of the elderly or disabled residents of the state and/or local communities which shall have included responsibility for the research, negotiation and/or writing of proposals for aging programs.

NOTE: Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's degree in the field of social work, gerontology or social gerontology may be substituted for the above experience.

Addendum 2 to Appendix B-2 Qualifications of Client-Employed Providers

Minimum Requirements:

- 1. All provider applicants must be at least 18 years old.
- 2. All provider applicants must successfully complete a criminal background check.
- 3. All provider applicants must be a United States citizen or be a legal alien authorized to work in the U.S.
- 4. All provider applicants must be able to communicate with the recipient.
- 5. All provider applicants must be physically capable of performing the service.
- 6. All provider applicants must respect the rights of the recipient, including the practice of confidentiality.
- 7. All provider applicants must be able to read and write at a level sufficient to follow written instructions and maintain records required in the performance of their duties.

Additional Requirements:

For in-home services, the provider applicant must meet competency standards set for the particular service, e.g. Chore, Home-Based Supportive Care, Attendant Care, Respite Care, and Transportation. Based on the specific service tasks to be performed, e.g. particular assistance with IADL/ADL tasks as identified in the Plan of Care, a list of relevant standards is identified for which the provider must demonstrate competence. Demonstration is accomplished through:

- Documentation of formal training or education;
- Previous experience;
- Written documentation from previous employers;
- Ability to clearly and effectively explain, verbally or in writing, specifically how the task is to be accomplished;
- Through actual observation of task performance.

Process:

All Client-Employed Providers will complete an application packet, which is submitted to the Case Manager who evaluates the individual's qualifications against the service provider qualifications stipulated. The Case Manager is responsible to verify the qualifications are met. As appropriate, the Case Manager may consult with an individual of specialized experience, e.g. RN, to evaluate competence.

The Case Manager forwards the appropriate information to the entity acting as agent of the Client/employer for payroll purposes, who completes the employer functions verifying legal status to work. A criminal background check is conducted on all applicants.

Once all qualifications are confirmed, the Case Manager identifies the provider in the Plan of Care, obtains a completed Service Agreement, and issues Individual Service agreement to the agent of the client employer to confirm authority to issue payment.

Documentation of qualification of a provider will be maintained in the client file.

Only providers who meet the qualifications will be reimbursed for waiver services.

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Addendum 3 to Appendix B-2 CONGREGATE HOUSING SERVICES PROGRAM

Introduction

The State of New Jersey is among those leading the nation in developing congregate services in housing for low- and moderate-income elderly. In 1981, the New Jersey Legislature authorized and funded the Congregate Housing Services Program (CHSP), a program of assistance for frail and at-risk seniors in subsidized housing for the elderly. The Legislature found that the absence of supportive services in housing for the elderly subjected seniors suffering from short-term or permanent disability or the natural consequences of aging to inappropriate, premature or overextended institutionalization.

It believed that the CHSP would prove to be a successful and cost effective means of fulfilling basic shelter and everyday service needs of the frail elderly, enabling them to preserve their dignity and independence in a secure environment. The CHSP was designed to absorb a large portion of the cost of supportive services, enabling housing providers to provide congregate services to their frail elderly population in need of basic services but unable to afford the cost of such services.

Program Overview

The NJ Division of Aging and Community Services defines congregate housing as "a residential environment which incorporates shelter and services needed by the functionally impaired and socially deprived but not ill elderly to enable them to maintain or to return to a semi-independent lifestyle and to avoid institutionalization as they grow older." The Congregate housing services program is intended to provide the physical and social environment that will extend the time span during which older people can live independently.

The CHSP supports independent living and prevents the unnecessary institutionalization of older people. The total cost of a complete congregate package is considerably less than the cost of a skilled nursing home. The CHSP also:

- Prevents the deterioration of apartments by providing cleaning services,
- Prevents a decline in the health of tenants by providing personal and nutritional services,

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- Creates a healthier environment for all tenants by providing supportive services to participants,
- Provides additional opportunities to socialize, and
- Assures tenants and management alike that changes caused by the aging process, which can negatively affect the person and the residence, are being monitored on an ongoing basis

Beneficiaries of the CHSP

The CHSP is beneficial not only to program participants, but also for other tenants in the building, building management, related family members and the surrounding community.

- The Tenant Participant: Many frail elderly benefit from the freedom and independence that the CHSP affords them. They can remain in the community in their accustomed residence with dignity, freedom of choice and freedom of movement because they are assisted with those areas in which they can no longer adequately provide for themselves.
- The Older Tenants: People feel secure when they see others around them assisted with dignity when the need arises. Although people hope to remain strong and vigorous all their lives, it provides great security to know, "If I need it, the service is available."
- Management: Although management assumes additional responsibilities with the CHSP, congregate services enable housing providers to pro-actively address potential health and safety issues before they become serious and impact the building.
- Family Members: The availability of congregate services promotes healthier relationships between tenants and their families. Children and grandchildren can visit without the pressure of having to cook, clean and shop; family members can visit more frequently and just drop in to say hello. The tenant, in turn, can relate to her/his family with greater dignity and independence.
- The Community: Congregate housing provides a more attractive environment than that provided in an institutional setting and does so at a lower cost.

Eligibility and Program Fees

The CHSP is directed to frail or at-risk elderly, persons who, with advanced age, are experiencing decreased energy and mobility but retain the capacity and desire for as much self-management as possible.

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Costs for services vary according to a resident's income and the amount of assistance he or she receives. The State of New Jersey provides a service subsidy to reduce the cost of the program to eligible participants. Individual subsidies are based on a formula for calculating disposable income established by HUD. Additional subsidies from other sources that further reduce the cost to participants are allowable. Participants pay anywhere from 5 % to 100 % of the total cost of the services.

CHSP Services

Meals: Food and meal services are a central part of the CHSP. The meal, nutritionally and socially, can be the highlight of the participant's day. The program must provide one nutritionally balanced meal seven days a week in a family style setting. A qualified nutritionist must approve menus. Meals can be prepared on site or purchased from off-site caterers.

Housekeeping / Personal Assistance: The following services are provided to participants as needed:

Housekeeping	Linen change	Companionship
Shopping	Assistance with bathing	Personal care
Laundry	Meal preparation	Assistance with dressing

Addendum 4 to Appendix B-2

SOCIAL DAY CARE PROGRAM EVALUATION CRITERIA

1. Facility:

License or occupancy permit available

Police and fire department responses agreements

Safety and emergency management policies and procedures written

2. Personnel:

Program director designated

Adequate staff to meet program needs of target population

At minimum, nurse consultant identified

3. Client population:

Criteria for target population established based on resources and program capabilities of facility

4. Program activities:

Planned and ongoing age appropriate activities based on social, physical, and cognitive needs of the target population

5. Individualized plans of care:

Plans of care based on identified individual client needs, jointly developed with clients and family

6. Social services:

Coordination with, and referrals to, available community agencies and services Periodic contact with families

7. Nutrition:

A minimum of one nutritionally balanced meal per day provided

Special diet needs met

Snacks provided as necessary

8. Health management:

Initial health profile completed

Monthly weights taken and other health related observations recorded as necessary

9. Personal care:

Personal assistance as needed with mobility and ADLs

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APPENDIX B-3 KEYS AMENDMENT STANDARDS FOR BOARD AND CARE FACILITIES

KEYS AMENDMENT ASSURANCE:

The State assures that all facilities covered by section 1616(e) of the Social Security Act, in which home and community-based services will be provided are in compliance with applicable State standards that meet the requirements of 45 CFR Part 1397 for board and care facilities.

APPLICABILITY OF KEYS AMENDMENT STANDARDS:

Check	one:
	Home and community-base services will not be provided in facilities covered by section 1616(e) of the Social Security Act. Therefore, no standards are provided.
X	A copy of the standards applicable to each type of facility identified above is maintained by the Medicaid agency.

APPENDIX C-Eligibility and Post-Eligibility

Appendix C-1--Eligibility

MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY GROUPS SERVED

group(s)	duals receiving services under this waiver are eligible under the following eligibits) in your State plan. The State will apply all applicable FFP limits under the place all that apply.)	•
	Low income families with children as described in section 1931 of the Social Security Act.	
2. <u>X</u>	SSI recipients (SSI Criteria States and 1634 States).	
3	Aged, blind or disabled in 209(b) States who are eligible under 435.121 (age or disabled who meet requirements that are more restrictive than those of the Sprogram).	
4. <u>X</u> _	Optional State supplement recipients	
5. <u>X</u>	Optional categorically needy aged and disabled who have income at (Check or	ne):
	a. X 100% of the Federal poverty level (FPL)	
	b% Percent of FPL which is lower than 100%.	
6X	The special home and community-based waiver group under 42 CFR 435.217 (Individuals who would be eligible for Medicaid if they were in an institution, have been determined to need home and community-based services in order to in the community, and who are covered under the terms of this waiver).	
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	X A. YesB. No
Check one:	
a	The waiver covers <u>all</u> individuals who would be eligible for Medicaid if they were in a medical institution and who need home and community-based services in order to remain in the community; or
bX	Only the following groups of individuals who would be eligible for Medicaid if they were in a medical institution and who need home and community-based services in order to remain in the community are included in this waiver: (check all that apply):
	(1)_X_A special income level equal to:
	X 300% of the SSI Federal benefit (FBR)
	% of FBR, which is lower than 300% (42 CFR 435.236)
	\$ which is lower than 300%
	(2) Aged, blind and disabled who meet requirements that are more restrictive than those of the SSI program. (42 CFR 435.121)
	(3) Medically needy without spenddown in States which also provide Medicaid to recipients of SSI. (42 CFR 435.320, 435.322, and 435,324.)
	(4) Medically needy without spenddown in 209(b) States. (42 CFR 435.330)
	(5) Aged and disabled who have income at:
	a 100% of the FPL
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	b% which is lower than 100%.
	(6) Other (Include statutory reference only to reflect additional groups included under the State plan.)
7	Medically needy (42 CFR 435.320, 435.322, 435.324 and 435.330)
8	Other (Include only statutory reference to reflect additional groups under your plan that you wish to include under this waiver.)

Appendix C-2--Post-Eligibility

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

<u>ALL</u> Home and Community-Based waiver recipients found eligible under 435.217 are subject to post-eligibility calculations.

Eligibility and post-eligibility are two separate processes with two separate calculations. Eligibility determines whether a person may be served on the waiver. Post-eligibility determines the amount (if any) by which Medicaid reduces its payment for services furnished to a particular individual. By doing so, post-eligibility determines the amount (if any) for which an individual is liable to pay for the cost of waiver services.

An eligibility determination (and periodic redetermination) must be made for each person served on the waiver.

Post-eligibility calculations are made \underline{ONLY} for persons found eligible under $\square 435.217$.

Post-eligibility determinations must be made for all groups of individuals who would be eligible for Medicaid if they were in a medical institution and need home and community-based services in order to remain in the community ($\Box 435.217$). For individuals whose eligibility is not determined under the spousal rules ($\Box 1924$ of the Social Security Act), the State <u>must</u> use the regular post-eligibility rules at 435.726 and 435.735. However, for persons found eligible for Medicaid using the spousal impoverishment rules, the State has two options concerning the application of post-eligibility rules:

OPTION 1: The State may use the post-eligibilit	ty (PE) rules under 42 CFR □435.726 and
\square 435.735 just as it does for other individuals for	und eligible under □435.217 or;

OPTION 2: it may use the spousal post-eligibility rules under $\Box 1924$.

REGULAR POST-ELIGIBILITY RULES--- 435.726 and 435.735

- o The State must provide an amount for the maintenance needs of the individual. This amount must be based upon a reasonable assessment of the individual's needs in the community.
- If the individual is living with his or her spouse, or if the individual is living in the community and the spouse is living at home, the State must protect an additional amount for the spouse's maintenance. This amount is limited by the highest appropriate income standard for cash assistance, or the medically needy standard. The State may choose which standard to apply.

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- o If the individual's spouse is not living in the individual's home, no maintenance amount is protected for that spouse's needs.
- o If other family members are living with the individual, an additional amount is protected for their needs. This amount is limited by the AFDC need standard for a family of the same size or by the appropriate medically needy standard for a family of the same size. The State may choose which standard to apply.

SPOUSAL POST-ELIGIBILITY--□1924

When a person who is eligible as a member of a 42 CFR 435.217 group has a community spouse the State may treat the individual as if he or she is institutionalized and apply the post-eligibility rules of □1924 of the Act (protection against spousal impoverishment) instead of the post-eligibility rules under 42 CFR 435.726 and 435.735. The □1924 post-eligibility rules provide for a more generous community spouse and family allowance than the rules under 42 CFR 435.726 and 435.735. Spousal impoverishment post-eligibility rules can only be used if the State is using spousal impoverishment eligibility rules.
The spousal protection rules also provide for protecting a personal needs allowance (PNA) "described in $\Box 1902(q)(1)$ " for the needs of the institutionalized individual. This is an allowance which is reasonable in amount for clothing and other personal needs of the individual while in an institution." For institutionalized individuals this amount could be as low as \$30 per month. Unlike institutionalized individuals whose room and board are covered by Medicaid, the personal needs of the home and community-based services recipient must include a reasonable amount for food and shelter as well as for clothing. The \$30 PNA is not a sufficient amount for these needs when the individual is living in the community.
Therefore, States which elect to treat home and community-based services waiver participants with community spouses under the □1924 spousal impoverishment post-eligibility rules must use as the personal needs allowance either the maintenance amount which the State has elected

under 42 CFR 435.726 or 42 CFR 435.735, or an amount that the State can demonstrate is a

reasonable amount to cover the individual's maintenance needs in the community.

POST ELIGIBILITY

REGULAR POST ELIGIBILITY

1X	SSI State. The State is using the post-eligibility rules at 42 CFR 435.726. Payment for home and community-based waiver services are reduced by the amount remaining after deduction the following amounts from the waiver recipients income.					
	A.	☐ 435. than SS		tates wh	ich do	not use more restrictive eligibility requirements
		a.	Allowa	ances fo	or the ne	eeds of the
			1.	individ	lual:	(Check one):
				A	The fo	llowing standard included under the State plan one):
					(1)	SSI
					(2)	Medically needy
					(3)	The special income level for the institutionalized
					(4)	The following percent of the Federal poverty level):%
					(5) <u>X</u>	Other (specify): SSI plus the optional state supplement for individuals who reside in Adult Family Care. For all other individuals, 300% of SSI.
				B	\$	lowing dollar amount: _* s amount changes, this item will be revised.
				C	The fo	llowing formula is used to determine the needs nce:

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Note: If the amount protected for waiver recipients in item 1. is **equal to, or greater than** the maximum amount of income a waiver recipient may have and be eligible under 42 CFR 435.217, **enter NA in items 2. and 3**. following.

	2.	spouse only (check one):
		A SSI standard
		B Optional State supplement standard
		C Medically needy income standard
		D The following dollar amount: \$*
		* If this amount changes, this item will be revised.
		E The following percentage of the following standard that is not greater than the standards above:% of standard.
		F The amount is determined using the following formula:
		GX_ Not applicable (N/A)
	3.	Family (check one):
		AX_ AFDC need standard
		B Medically needy income standard
		The amount specified below cannot exceed the higher of the need standard for a family of the same size used to determine eligibility under the State's approved AFDC plan or the medically income standard established under 435.811 for a family of the same size.
		C The following dollar amount:
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*If this amount changes, this item will be revised.		
D	The following percentage of the following standard that is not greater than the standards above: % of standard.	
E	The amount is determined using the following formula:	
F	Other	

b. Medical and remedial care expenses specified in 42 CFR 435.726.

G.___ Not applicable (N/A)

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B. 4	2 CFR 435	5.735States using more restrictive requirements than SSI.
(a) Allo	owances for	r the needs of the
	1.	individual: (check one):
		A The following standard included under the State plan

(1)____ SSI

(check one):

- (2) Medically needy
- (3) The special income level for the institutionalized
- (4) The following percentage of the Federal poverty level: %
- (5) Other (specify):
- B.___ The following dollar amount:
 - * If this amount changes, this item will be revised.
- C.___ The following formula is used to determine the amount:

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Note: If the amount protected for waiver recipients in 1. is equal to, or greater than the maximum amount of income a waiver recipient may have and be eligible under $\Box 435.217$, enter NA in items 2. and 3. following.

A. The following standard under 42 CFR 435.121: B. The medically needy income standard; C. The following dollar amount: \$\sum_** * If this amount changes, this item will be revised. D. The following percentage of the following standard that is not greater than the standards above: \$\sum_\%' of E. Not applicable (N/A) 3. family (check one): A. AFDC need standard B. Medically needy income standard The amount specified below cannot exceed the higher of the need standard for a family of the same size used to determine eligibility under the State's approved AFDC plar or the medically income standard established under	2.	spouse only (check one):		
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B Medically needy income standard The amount specified below cannot exceed the higher of the need standard for a family of the same size used to determine eligibility under the State's approved AFDC plan	3.	family	(check one):	
The amount specified below cannot exceed the higher of the need standard for a family of the same size used to determine eligibility under the State's approved AFDC plan		A	AFDC need standard	
the need standard for a family of the same size used to determine eligibility under the State's approved AFDC plan		B		
			the need standard for a family of the same size used to determine eligibility under the State's approved AFDC plan	

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435.811 for a family of the same size.

C	The following dollar amount: \$*		
	* If thi	s amount changes, this item will be ed.	
D		llowing percentage of the following standard that is eater than the standards above:% of rd.	
Е	The fo	llowing formula is used to determine the amount:	
F	Other		
G	Not ap	plicable (N/A)	
	b.	Medical and remedial care expenses specified in 42 CFR 435.735.	

POST ELIGIBILITY

SPOUSAL POST ELIGIBILITY

2X_	The State uses the post-eligibility rules of $\Box 1924(d)$ of the Act (spousal impoverishment protection) to determine the individual's contribution toward the cost of home and community-based care if it determines the individual's eligibility under $\Box 1924$ of the Act. There shall be deducted from the individual's monthly income a personal needs allowance (as specified below), and a community spouse's allowance, a family allowance, and an amount for incurred expenses for medical or remedial care, as specified in the State Medicaid plan.					
	(A)	Allowance for personal needs of the individual: (check one)				
		(a) SSI Standard				
		(b) Medically Needy Standard				
		(c) The special income level for the institutionalized				
		(d) The following percent of the Federal poverty level:				
		(e) The following dollar amount				
		<pre>\$** **If this amount changes, this item will be revised.</pre>				
		(f) The following formula is used to determine the needs allowance:				
		(g) X Other (specify): SSI plus the optional state supplement for individuals who reside in Adult Family Care. For all other individuals, 300% of SSI.				

If this amount is different from the amount used for the individual's maintenance allowance under 42 CFR 435.726 or 42 CFR 435.735, explain why you believe that this amount is reasonable to meet the individual's maintenance needs in the

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community.

APPENDIX D - ENTRANCE PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS

APPENDIX D-1

a. EVALUATION OF LEVEL OF CARE

The agency will provide for an evaluation (and periodic reevaluations) of the need for the level(s) of care indicated in the Executive Summary of this request, when there is a reasonable indication that individuals might need such services in the near future, but for the availability of home and community-based services.

b. QUALIFICATIONS OF INDIVIDUALS PERFORMING INITIAL EVALUATION

The educational/professional qualifications of persons performing initial evaluations of level of care for waiver participants are (check all that apply):		
	Discharge planning team	
	Physician (MD or DO)	
_X	Registered nurse, licensed in the state	
_X	Licensed social worker or Certified Social Worker when required by State law. Social Workers employed by the State or a political subdivision thereof are not required to be licensed or certified.	
	Qualified mental retardation professional, as defined in 42 CFR 483.430(a)	
	Other (specify):	

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APPENDIX D-2

a.	. REEVALUATIONS OF LEVEL OF CARE		
			level of care required by the individual will take place (at a to the following schedule (specify):
		Every	3 months
		Every	6 months
	X	Every	12 months
		Other	(specify):
b.	QUAL	LIFICATIONS	OF PERSONS PERFORMING REEVALUATIONS
	Check	one:	
The educational/professional qualifications of person(s) performing of level of care are the same as those for persons performing initial			nal/professional qualifications of person(s) performing reevaluations re are the same as those for persons performing initial evaluations.
	X_ The educational/professional qualifications of persons performing reconstruction of level of care differ from those of persons performing initial evaluation following qualifications are met for all individuals performing reevaluation level of care (specify):		re differ from those of persons performing initial evaluations. The allifications are met for all individuals performing reevaluations of
			Physician (MD or DO)
		_X	Registered nurse, licensed in the state
		_X	Licensed social worker or Certified Social Worker when required by State law. Social Workers employed by the State or a political subdivision thereof are not required to be licensed or certified.

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		Qualified mental retardation professional, as defined in 42 CFR 483.430(a)
	X_	Other (specify): Case Manager meeting the requirements contained in Addendum 1 to Appendix B-2
c.	PROCEDUR	EES TO ENSURE TIMELY REEVALUATIONS
	The state wil care (check b	l employ the following procedures to ensure timely reevaluations of level of pelow):
		"Tickler" file
		Edits in computer system
	X	Component part of case management
		Other (specify):

APPENDIX D-3

a. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS	a.	MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS
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	nations and reevaluations of level of care will be maintained in the on(s) (check all that apply):
	By the Medicaid Agency in its central office
	By the Medicaid Agency in district/local offices
	By the agency designated in Appendix A as having primary authority for the daily operation of the waiver program
_X	By the case managers
_X	By the persons or agencies designated as responsible for the performance of evaluations and reevaluations
	By service providers
	Other (specify):

2. Written documentation of all evaluations and reevaluations will be maintained as described in this Appendix for a minimum period of 3 years.

b. COPIES OF FORMS AND CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION/ASSESSMENT

A copy of the written assessment instrument(s) to be used in the evaluation and reevaluation and screening procedures for individuals need for a level of care indicated in the Executive Summary of this request is attached to this Appendix as Attachment 2.

For persons diverted rather than deinstitutionalized, the state's evaluation process must provide for a more detailed description of their evaluation and screening procedures for individuals to ensure that waiver services will be limited to persons who would otherwise receive the level of care specified in the Executive Summary of this request.

Check one:

X	The process for evaluating and screening diverted individuals is the same as that
	used for deinstitutionalized persons.

 The process for evaluating and screening diverted individuals differs from that
used for deinstitutionalized persons. Attached is a description of the process used
for evaluating and screening diverted individuals.

APPENDIX D-4

a. FREEDOM OF CHOICE AND FAIR HEARING

- 1. When an individual is determined to be likely to require a level of care indicated in the Executive Summary of this request, the individual or his or her legal representative will be:
 - a. Informed of any feasible alternatives under the waiver; and
 - b. Given the choice of either institutional or home and community-based services.
- 2. The agency will provide an opportunity for a fair hearing under 42 CFR Part 431, subpart E, to individuals who are not given the choice of home or community-based services as an alternative to the institutional care indicated in the Executive Summary of this request or who are denied the service(s) of their choice, or the provider(s) of their choice.
- 3. The following are attached to this Appendix:
 - a. A copy of the form(s) used to document freedom of choice and to offer a fair hearing:
 - b. A description of the agency's procedure(s) for informing eligible individuals (or their legal representatives) of the feasible alternatives available under the waiver;
 - c. A description of the State's procedures for allowing individuals to choose either institutional or home and community-based services; and
 - d. A description of how the individual (or legal representatives) is offered the opportunity to request a fair hearing under 42 CFR Part 431, Subpart E.

b. FREEDOM OF CHOICE DOCUMENT

Specify where copies of this form are maintained:

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At the case management site.

Attachment 1 to APPENDIX D-4

Freedom of Choice

Fair Hearing

Each Waiver participant is given a copy of each of the documents explaining freedom of choice and the right to a fair hearing should they want to appeal the decision of the assessor. These concepts are also explained to the individual by the assessor.

The CP-6 documents the individual's choice.

The CP-9 is notification of the right to appeal.

APPENDIX E - PLAN OF CARE

APPENDIX E-1

a. PLAN OF CARE DEVELOPMENT

1.	The following individuals are responsible for the preparation of the plans of care:

_	Registered nurse, licensed to practice in the State	
_	Licensed practical or vocational nurse, acting within the scope of practic under State law	e
	Physician (M.D. or D.O.) licensed to practice in the State	
_	Social Worker (qualifications attached to this Appendix)	
	Case Manager	
	Other (specify): Staff of a licensed Assisted Living Program for a reside pursuant to the requirements of N.J.A.C. 8:36, subchapter 7.	ent,
	pies of written plans of care will be maintained for a minimum period of 3 years each location where copies of the plans of care will be maintained.	ears.
_	At the Medicaid agency central office	
_	At the Medicaid agency county/regional offices	
	By case managers	
_	By the agency specified in Appendix A	
_	By consumers	
	Other (specify):	
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3.	and w to per appro furnis	lan of care is the fundamental tool by which the State will ensure the health relfare of the individuals served under this waiver. As such, it will be subject iodic review and update. These reviews will take place to determine the priateness and adequacy of the services, and to ensure that the services hed are consistent with the nature and severity of the individual's disability. In inimum schedule under which these reviews will occur is:
	_	Every 3 months
		Every 6 months
	X	Every 12 months
		Other (specify):

APPENDIX E-2

a. MEDICAID AGENCY APPROVAL

The following is a description of the process by which the plan of care is made subject to the approval of the Medicaid agency:

The case manager develops the care plan and, if approved by the case management site manager the plan is implemented. One exception to this is for individuals receiving Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing) service. In those situations, staff of the licensed program develop a "resident service plan" and/or a "health care plan" according to the requirements of N.J.A.C. 8:36 subchapter 7. This plan is reviewed and approved by the case management site.

All plans are subject to the review and approval of the DHSS. The Medicaid agency monitors a sample of approved plans and provides DHSS with a copy of the findings.

b. STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS AND COPY OF PLAN OF CARE

- 1. The plan of care will contain, at a minimum, the type of services to be furnished, the amount, the frequency and duration of each service, and the type of provider to furnish each service.
 - 2. A copy of the plan of care form to be utilized in this waiver is attached to this Appendix.

Only the WPA-2, which may not be present for every client, is attached. Plans developed by assisted living programs vary in form and format among the various providers and it is impractical to attach copies of each. The licensing and survey agency reviews and approves each licensed assisted living program's form and format for care plans.

APPENDIX F - AUDIT TRAIL

a	DESCR	IPTION	OF PR	OCESS

- 1. As required by sections 1905(a) and 1902(a)(32) of the Social Security Act, payments will be made by the Medicaid agency directly to the providers of waiver and State plan services.
- 2. As required by section 1902(a)(27) of the Social Security Act, there will be a provider agreement between the Medicaid agency and each provider of services under the waiver.
- Method of payments (check one):

 X Payments for all waiver and other State plan services will be made through an approved Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS).
 Payments for some, but not all, waiver and State plan services will be made through an approved MMIS. A description of the process by which the State will maintain an audit trail for all State and Federal funds expended, and under which payments will be made to providers is attached to this Appendix.
 Payment for waiver services will not be made through an approved MMIS. A description of the process by which payments are made is attached to this Appendix, with a description of the process by which the State will maintain an audit trail for all State and Federal funds expended.

Other (Describe in detail):

b. BILLING AND PROCESS AND RECORDS RETENTION

found.

1.		ned is a description of the billing process. This includes a description of the nism in place to assure that all claims for payment of waiver services are only:
	a.	When the individual was eligible for Medicaid waiver payment on the date of service;
	b.	When the service was included in the approved plan of care;
	c.	In the case of supported employment, prevocational or educational services included as part of habilitation services, when the individual was eligible to receive the services and the services were not available to the individual through a program funded under section 602(16) or (17) of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (P.L. 94-142) or section 110 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.
		Yes
		_X No. These services are not included in this waiver.
2.		ollowing is a description of all records maintained in connection with an rail. Check one:
	_X	All claims are processed through an approved MMIS.

3. Records documenting the audit trail will be maintained by the Medicaid agency, the agency specified in Appendix A (if applicable), and providers of waiver services for a minimum period of 3 years.

MMIS is not used to process all claims. Attached is a description of

records maintained with an indication of where they are to be

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c. PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS

rest of the Medicaid program. X The Medicaid agency will pay providers through the use of a limited fisc who functions only to pay waiver claims. Providers may <i>voluntarily</i> reassign their right to direct payments to the fi		The Medicaid agency will make payments directly to providers of waiver services.
who functions only to pay waiver claims. Providers may <i>voluntarily</i> reassign their right to direct payments to the f	_X	Full Full Full Full Full Full Full Full
	_X	The Medicaid agency will pay providers through the use of a limited fiscal agent who functions only to pay waiver claims.
governmentar agencies (specify).		Providers may <i>voluntarily</i> reassign their right to direct payments to the following governmental agencies (specify):

2. Interagency agreement(s) reflecting the above arrangements are on file at the Medicaid agency.

Attachment

Appendix F – Audit Trail

Description of the Billing Process

New Jersey has a Medicaid Management Information System which is certified by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. This includes approved beneficiary and provider eligibility files containing appropriate date references indicating participation in waiver programs. All processed and paid claims data are available in detail reports and in periodic production of the Management and Administrative Reporting Subsystem reports.

The DHSS utilizes a contract vendor as an agent for client employed providers. This vendor also processes bills for services provided by non-traditional Medicaid providers, e.g., chore services, Personal Medical Response Systems, etc. The case manager completes an Individual Service Agreement (ISA) specifying the provider, the amount frequency and duration of service for each waiver service that must be processed in this manner. All of these services are billed by the contract vendor through the MMIS. The contract vendor agent bills the MMIS and subsequently pays non-traditional provider(s) for waiver services only when an appropriate ISA is on file and the bill comports with the ISA.

APPENDIX G - FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION

APPENDIX G-1 COMPOSITE OVERVIEW COST NEUTRALITY FORMULA

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete one copy of this Appendix for each level of care in the waiver. If there is more than one level (e.g. hospital and nursing facility), complete an Appendix reflecting the weighted average of each formula value and the total number of unduplicated individuals served.

LEVEL OF CARE: NF

Year	FACTOR D	FACTOR D'	FACTOR G	FACTOR G'
1	\$16,318	\$6,225	\$33,454	_\$5,011
2	\$17,225_	_\$6,723	\$34,451	_\$5,503
3	\$18,693	_\$7,261	\$35,630	_\$5,843
4	\$20,251	\$7,842	\$37,337	_\$6,367
5	\$21,908	_\$8,469	_\$38,685_	_\$6,753

FACTOR C: NUMBER OF UNDUPLICATED INDIVIDUALS SERVED

YEAR	UNDUPLICATED INDIVIDUALS
1	3042
2	4200
3	5400
4	6650
5	7900

EXPLANATION OF FACTOR C:

Check one:

 The State will make w	vaiver services	available to	individuals	in the target	group up t	o the
number indicated as fa	actor C for the	waiver year.	•			

_X The State will make waiver services available to individuals in the target group up to the lesser of the number of individuals indicated as factor C for the waiver year, or the number authorized by the State legislature for that time period.

The State will inform HCFA in writing of any limit which is less than factor C for that waiver year.

APPENDIX G-2 METHODOLOGY FOR DERIVATION OF FORMULA VALUES

FACTOR D

LOC: NF

The July 25, 1994 final regulation defines Factor D as:

"The estimated annual average per capita Medicaid cost for home and community-based services for individuals in the waiver program."

The demonstration of Factor D estimates is on the following page.

Demonstration of Factor D estimates:

Waiver Year 1_X 2_ 3_ 4_ 5_

Waiver Service Column A	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost Column D	Total
Column 74	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
1. Case Management	3042	9	\$100/month	\$2,737,800
2. Case Management – Initial	1847	1	\$210/month	\$387,870
3. Homemaker	1338	840	\$17/hour	\$19,106,640
4. Respite	457	14	\$100/day	\$639,800
5. Environmental Accessibility Adaptations	457	1	\$2000/ modification	\$914,000
6. Transportation	305	180	\$1.50/mile	\$82,350
7. Specialized Medical Equipment and supplies	610	9	\$75/month	\$411,750
8. Chore Services	305	60	\$20/hour	\$366,000
9. Personal Emergency Response Systems	1217	11	\$45/month	\$602,415
10. Attendant Care	152	1092	\$17/hour	\$2,821,728
11. Adult Family Care	100	250	\$44/day	\$1,100,000
12. Community Transition Services	200	1	\$900/transition	\$180,000
13. Home-based Supportive Care	1217	840	\$15/hour	\$15,334,200

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Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip.	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	(users)	Units/User	Column D	
	Column B	Column C		Column E
14. Home	457	165	\$8/meal	\$603,240
delivered meal service				
15. Caregiver /	305	2	\$80/curriculum	\$48,800
Recipient Training				
16. Social Adult	122	80	\$34/day	\$331,840
Day Care				
17. Assisted	350	250	\$44/day	\$3,850,000
Living Program (in				
Subsidized				
Housing				
18. Transitional	200	1	\$600/transition	\$120,000
Case Management				
GRAND TOTAL (su	\$49,638,433			
TOTAL ESTIMATE	3042			
FACTOR D (Divide	\$16,318			
AVERAGE LENGT	H OF STAY:			242

Demonstration of Factor D estimates:

Waiver Year 1__ 2_X_ 3__ 4__ 5__

Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	(discres)		Column D	
	Column B	Column C		Column E
1. Case				
Management	4200	9	\$110/month	\$4,158,000
2. Case				
Management –				
Initial	1910	1	\$220/month	\$420,200
3. Homemaker	1782	840	\$19/hour	\$28,440,720
4. Respite	608	14	\$110/day	\$936,320
5. Environmental				
Accessibility			\$2140/	
Adaptations	608	1	modification	\$1,301,120
6. Transportation	405	180	\$1.50/mile	\$109,350
7. Specialized		100	φ1.0 0/11111	φ100,500
Medical Equipment				
and supplies	810	9	\$80/month	\$583,200
8. Chore Services	405	60	\$22/hour	\$534,600
9. Personal				
Emergency				
Response Systems	1620	11	\$50/month	\$891,000
10. Attendant Care	203	1092	\$19/hour	\$4,211,844
11. Adult Family				
Care	150	250	\$48/day	\$1,800,000
12. Community				
Transition Services	200	1	\$1,000/transition	\$200,000
13. Home-based				
Supportive Care	1620	840	\$16/hour	\$21,772,800

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Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	(3,5415)		11.8. 0111. 0051	
	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
14. Home				
delivered meal				
service	608	165	\$9/meal	\$902,880
15. Caregiver /				
Recipient Training	405	2	\$86/curriculum	\$69,660
16. Social Adult				
Day Care	162	80	\$37/day	\$479,520
17. Assisted				
Living Program (in				
Subsidized				
Housing	450	250	\$48/day	\$5,400,000
18. Transitional				
Case management	200	1	\$660/transition	\$132,000
GRAND TOTAL (su	\$72,343,214			
TOTAL ESTIMATE	4200			
FACTOR D (Divide	\$17,225			
AVERAGE LENGT	H OF STAY:			242

Demonstration of Factor D estimates:

Waiver Year 1__ 2__ 3_X_ 4__ 5__

Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
1. Case Management	5400	9	\$120/month	\$5,832,000
2. Case Management – Initial	2200	1	\$230/month	\$506,000
3. Homemaker	2244	840	\$21/day	\$39,584,160
4. Respite	765	14	\$121/day	\$1,295,910
5. Environmental Accessibility Adaptations	765	1	\$2290/ modification	\$1,751,850
6. Transportation	510	180	\$1.75/mile	\$160,650
7. Specialized Medical Equipment and supplies	1020	9	\$90/month	\$826,200
8. Chore Services	510	60	\$24/hour	\$734,400
9. Personal Emergency Response Systems	2040	11	\$55/month	\$1,234,200
10. Attendant Care	255	1092	\$21/hour	\$5,847,660
11. Adult Family Care	200	250	\$53/day	\$2,650,000
12. Community Transition Services	200	1	\$1,100/transition	\$220,000
13. Home-based Supportive Care	2040	840	\$18/hour	\$30,844,800

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Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
14. Home delivered meal service	765	165	\$10/meal	\$1,262,250
15. Caregiver / Recipient Training	510	2	\$92/curriculum	\$93,840
16. Social Adult Day Care	204	80	\$41/day	\$669,120
17. Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing	550	250	\$53/day	\$7,287,500
18. Transitional Case Management	200	1	\$720/transition	\$144,000
GRAND TOTAL (su	\$100,944,540			
TOTAL ESTIMATE	5400			
FACTOR D (Divide	\$18,693			
AVERAGE LENGT	H OF STAY:			242

Demonstration of Factor D estimates:

Waiver Year 1___ 2___ 3___ 4_X_ 5___

Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	(dscis)	Cints/Osci	Column D	
	Column B	Column C		Column E
1. Case				
Management	6650	9	\$130/month	\$7,780,500
2. Case				
Management –				
Initial	2525	1	\$240/Month	\$606,000
3. Homemaker	2728	840	\$23/hour	\$52,704,960
4. Respite	930	14	\$133/day	\$1,731,660
5. Environmental				
Accessibility				
Adaptations			\$2450/	
	930	1	modification	\$2,278,500
6. Transportation	620	180	\$1.75/mile	\$195,300
7. Specialized				
Medical Equipment				
and supplies	1240	9	\$100/month	\$1,116,000
8. Chore Services	620	60	\$26/hour	\$967,200
9. Personal				
Emergency				
Response Systems	2480	11	\$61/month	\$1,664,080
10. Attendant Care	310	1092	\$23/hour	\$7,785,960
11. Adult Family				
Care	250	250	\$58/day	\$3,625,000
12. Community				
Transition Services	215	1	\$1,200/transition	\$258,000

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Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	Column D	Column C	Column D	Calumn E
12 22 1	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
13. Home-based Supportive Care	2480	840	\$20/hour	\$41,664,000
14. Home				
delivered meal				
service	930	165	\$11/meal	\$1,687,950
15. Caregiver /				
Recipient Training	620	2	\$98/curriculum	\$121,520
16. Social Adult Day Care	248	80	\$45/day	\$892,800
17. Assisted			-	
Living Program (in				
Subsidized				
Housing	650	250	\$58/day	\$9,425,000
18. Transitional				
Case Management	215	1	\$780/transition	\$167,700

GRAND TOTAL (sum of Column E):	<u>\$134,672,130</u>
TOTAL ESTIMATED UNDUPLICATED RECIPIENTS:	<u>6650</u>
FACTOR D (Divide total by number of recipients):	\$20,251
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY:	242

Demonstration of Factor D estimates:

Waiver Year 1___ 2___ 3___ 4___ 5_X___

Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
1. Case Management	7900	9	\$140/month	\$9,954,000
2. Case Management – Initial	2800	1	\$250/month	\$700,000
3. Homemaker	3212	840	\$25/hour	\$67,452,000
4. Respite	1095	14	\$146/day	\$2,238,180
5. Environmental Accessibility Adaptations	1095	1	\$2622/ modification	\$2,871,090
6. Transportation	730	180	\$2/mile	\$262,800
7. Specialized Medical Equipment and supplies	1460	9	\$110/month	\$1,445,400
8. Chore Services	730	60	\$28/hour	\$1,226,400
9. Personal Emergency Response Systems	2920	11	\$67/month	\$2,152,040
10. Attendant Care	365	1092	\$25/hour	\$9,964,500
11. Adult Family Care	300	250	\$64/day	\$4,800,000
12. Community Transition Services	260	1	\$1,300/transition	\$338,000
13. Home-based	2920	840	\$22/hour	\$53,961,600

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Supportivo Coro		
Supportive Care		

Waiver Service	#Undup. Recip. (users)	Avg. # Annual Units/User	Avg. Unit Cost	Total
Column A	Column B	Column C	Column D	Column E
14. Home delivered meal service	1095	165	\$12/meal	\$2,168,100
15. Caregiver / Recipient Training	730	2	\$105/curriculum	\$153,300
16. Social Adult Day Care	292	80	\$50/day	\$1,168,000
17. Assisted Living Program (in Subsidized Housing	750	250	\$64/day	\$12,000,000
18. Transitional Case Management	260	1	\$840/transition	\$218,400
GRAND TOTAL (sum of Column E):				\$173,073,810
TOTAL ESTIMATED UNDUPLICATED RECIPIENTS:			7900	
FACTOR D (Divide total by number of recipients):				\$21,908
AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY:			242	

APPENDIX G-3 METHODS USED TO EXCLUDE PAYMENTS FOR ROOM AND BOARD

The purpose of this Appendix is to demonstrate that Medicaid does not pay the cost of room and board furnished to an individual under the waiver.

A. The following service(s), other than respite care*, are furnished in residential settings other than the natural home of the individual(e.g., foster homes, group homes, supervised living arrangements, assisted living facilities, personal care homes, or other types of congregate living arrangements). (Specify):

Adult Family Care

*NOTE: FFP may be claimed for the cost of room and board when provided as part of respite care in a Medicaid certified NF or ICF/MR, or when it is provided in a foster home or community residential facility that meets State standards specified in this waiver.)

B. The following service(s) are furnished in the home of a paid caregiver. (Specify):

Adult Family Care

Attached is an explanation of the method used by the State to exclude Medicaid payment for room and board. The Medicaid waiver beneficiary pays room and board directly to the Adult Family Care provider.

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APPENDIX G-4 METHODS USED TO MAKE PAYMENT FOR RENT AND FOOD EXPENSES OF AN UNRELATED LIVE-IN CAREGIVER

Check	one:
X	The State will not reimburse for the rent and food expenses of an unrelated live-in personal caregiver who lives with the individual(s) served on the waiver.
	The State will reimburse for the additional costs of rent and food attributable to an unrelated live-in personal caregiver who lives in the home or residence of the individual served on the waiver. The service cost of the live-in personal caregiver and the costs attributable to rent and food are reflected separately in the computation of factor D (cost of waiver services) in Appendix G-2 of this waiver request.

The following is an explanation of the method used by the State to apportion the additional costs of rent and food attributable to the unrelated live-in personal caregiver that are incurred by the individual served on the waiver.

APPENDIX G-5

FACTOR D'

LOC: NE

NOTICE: On July 25, 1994, HCFA published regulations which changed the definition of factor D'. The new definition is:

"The estimated annual average per capita Medicaid cost for all other services provided to individuals in the waiver program."

Include in Factor D' the following:

The cost of all State plan services (including home health, personal care and adult day health care) furnished in addition to waiver services WHILE THE INDIVIDUAL WAS ON THE WAIVER.

The cost of short-term institutionalization (hospitalization, NF, or ICF/MR) which began AFTER the person's first day of waiver services and ended BEFORE the end of the waiver year IF the person returned to the waiver.

Do NOT include the following in the calculation of Factor D':

If the person did NOT return to the waiver following institutionalization, do NOT include the costs of institutional care.

Do NOT include institutional costs incurred BEFORE the person is first served under the waiver in this waiver year.

If institutional respite care is provided as a service under this waiver, calculate its costs under Factor D. Do not duplicate these costs in your calculation of Factor D'.

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FACT	OR D' (cont.)
LOC:	_NE
Factor	D' is computed as follows (check one):
	Based on HCFA Form 2082 (relevant pages attached).
X	Based on HCFA Form 372 for years 2002 of waiver #0285, which serves a similar target population.
	The per capita amount is increased annually by 8%
	Based on a statistically valid sample of plans of care for individuals with the disease or condition specified in item 3 of this request.
	Other (specify):

APPENDIX G-6	
FACTOR G	
LOC: NF	
The July 25, 1994 final regulation defines Fact	or G as:
	ita Medicaid cost for hospital, NF, or ICF/MR care that ed in the waiver, were the waiver not granted."
Provide data ONLY for the level(s) of care ind	icated in item 2 of this waiver request.
Factor G is computed as follows:	
Based on institutional cost trends show explanation of any adjustments made to	n by HCFA Form 2082 (relevant pages attached). Attached is an o these numbers.
	a 372 for yearsof waiver #, which reflect costs for an C. Attached is an explanation of any adjustments made to these
Based on actual case histories of indivi- Documentation attached.	duals institutionalized with this disease or condition at this LOC.
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	or condition(s) indicated in item 3 of this request, plus outlier an explanation of any adjustments are attached to this Appendix.
	al Factor G costs associated with this waiver for the years 1997 MMIS production report S6559R20. This MMIS report is the for this waiver.
If institutional respite care is provided as a serv duplicate these costs in your calculation of Fac	vice under this waiver, calculate its costs under Factor D. Do not etor G.
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FACTOR G'

LOC: NE

The July 25, 1994 final regulation defines Factor G' as:

"The estimated annual average per capita Medicaid costs for all services other than those included in Factor G for individuals served in the waiver, were the waiver not granted.

Include in Factor G' the following:

The cost of all State plan services furnished WHILE THE INDIVIDUAL WAS INSTITUTIONALIZED.

The cost of short-term hospitalization (furnished with the expectation that the person would return to the institution) which began AFTER the person's first day of institutional services.

If institutional respite care is provided as a service under this waiver, calculate its costs under Factor D. Do not duplicate these costs in your calculation of Factor G'.

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APPE	NDIX G-7
FACT	OR G'
LOC:	NE
Factor	G' is computed as follows (check one):
	Based on HCFA Form 2082 (relevant pages attached).
	Based on HCFA Form 372 for years of waiver #, which serves a similar target population.
	Based on a statistically valid sample of plans of care for individuals with the disease or condition specified in item 3 of this request.
_X	Other (specify): Based on trends shown by actual Factor G' costs associated with this waiver for the years 1997 through 2002 as reported on NJMMIS production report S6559R20. This MMIS report is the basis for the HCFA Form 372 for this waiver.

APPENDIX G-8

DEMONSTRATION OF COST NEUTRALITY

LOC: NE

YEAR 1

FACTOR D: \$16.318 FACTOR G: \$33,454

FACTOR D': \$ 6,225 FACTOR G': \$ 5,011

TOTAL: $$22,543 \le TOTAL: $38,465$

YEAR 2

FACTOR D: \$17,225 FACTOR G: \$34,451

FACTOR D': \$ 6,723 FACTOR G': \$ 5,503

TOTAL: $$23.948 \le TOTAL$: \$39.954

YEAR 3

FACTOR D: \$18,693 FACTOR G: \$35,630

FACTOR D': \$ 7,261 FACTOR G': \$ 5,843

TOTAL: $\$25,954 \le \text{TOTAL}$: \$41,473

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APPENDIX G-8

DEMONSTRATION OF COST NEUTRALITY (cont.)

LOC: NE

YEAR 4

FACTOR D: \$20,251 FACTOR G: \$37,337

FACTOR D': \$ 7,842 FACTOR G': \$ 6,367

TOTAL: $$28,093 \le TOTAL$: \$43,704

YEAR 5

FACTOR D: \$21,908 FACTOR G: \$38,685

FACTOR D': \$ 8,469 FACTOR G': \$ 6,753

TOTAL: $\$30,377 \le \text{TOTAL}$: \$45,438

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